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presents:

Navigating Relationships

FREE
WEBINAR



A free webinar series led by Lamar Hardwick, D. Min.

The Philadelphia Autism Project, in collaboration with Lamar Hardwick D.Min, is excited to announce our upcoming webinar series on this highly requested topic. Dr. Hardwick will speak about common barriers people on the spectrum face in navigating relationships, provide helpful strategies, and answer your questions during a live Q&A.



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SESSION 1:

Beginners Guide to Building Relationships

June 4, 2020 | 11:30AM - 1PM

Understand how to recognize and overcome challenges in forming both platonic and romantic relationships. Learn about the different strategies for dating, relationship development and how to communicate to maintain healthy relationships.

SESSION 2:

Relationships and Sexuality

July 9, 2020 | 11:30AM - 1PM

Learn how to navigate social cues, non-verbal communication and how to develop emotional and physical boundaries. Understand what body agency is and how to use verbal consent in relationships.

SESSION 3:

Marriage and Children

August 6, 2020 | 11:30AM - 1PM

Learn important skills to navigate the landscape of autism as it relates to marriage and parenting. Gain tools to develop a healthy marital relationship and healthy parenting practices.



ABOUT THE SPEAKER:

Lamar Hardwick D.Min is the lead pastor at Tri-Cities Church. In 2014, Dr. Hardwick was diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder when he was 36 years old. Dr. Hardwick has published articles through several national sources including the *Mighty*, the *Huffington Post*, *Key Ministry*, and the *Autistic Self Advocacy Network*. Dr. Hardwick is the author of the best-selling book *I am Strong: The Life and Journey of an Autistic Pastor*.



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